

are surrounded by snow as late as February. It is not an especially fine variety, but is worthy of trial in the variety gardens. See Nos. 8902 and 8903 for further descriptions of climate where it is grown." (*Fairchild*.)

**8905. CITRUS NOBILIS.****Mandarin orange.**

From Fukui, Japan. Received through Messrs. Lathrop and Fairchild (No. 962, June 24, 1902), July 21, 1902.

*Koji*. "This is similar to No. 8904, but is said to bear larger, finer fruits. It was not the season for any of these fruits, so I can not say as to their excellence except from reports." (*Fairchild*.)

**8906 to 8909.**

From Nice, France. Presented by Mr. A. Robertson-Proschowsky. Received July 31, 1902.

Seeds as follows:

**8906.** *ARISTOTELIA MACUL.*

**8907.** *TACSONIA MOLLISSIMA.*

"A variety with flowers of a darker color than the type." (*Proschowsky*.)

**8908.** *TACSONIA MOLLISSIMA.*

**8909.** *OLEA EUROPAEA.*

*Nice.* (See No. 8872.)

**8910. CROTALARIA JUNCIA.****Sunn hemp.**

From Bombay, India. Received through Dr. S. A. Knapp, July 26, 1902.

**8911 and 8912. ORYZA SATIVA.****Rice.**

From Bombay, India. Received through Dr. S. A. Knapp, July 26, 1902.

**8913. PRUNUS ARMENIACA.****Apricot.**

From Coalhuila, Saltillo, Mexico. Received through Miss Lelia Roberts, July 20, 1902.

**8914. CERATONIA SILIQUA.****Carob.**

From Marseille, France. Received through Hon. Robert P. Skinner, United States Consul-General, August 9, 1902.

**8915. VOANDZEIA SUBTERRANEA.****Woandsu (African goober).**

From Dar-ess-Salam, German East Africa. Presented by Mr. D. Holtz. Received August 22, 1902.

**8916 to 8975.**

From Buenos Ayres, Argentina. Presented by Señor Carlos Thays, director of parks, through Mr. Frank W. Bicknell. Received August 20, 1902.

**8916.** *OPUNTIA DECUMANA.*

**8922.** *PSIDIUM GUAJAVA.*

**8917.** *SAMBUCUS AUSTRALIS.*

**8923.** *ENTEROLOBIUM* sp.

**8918.** *COCOS YATAY.*

**8924.** *DESMODIUM UNCINATUM.*

**8919.** *SOLANUM POCOTE.*

**8925.** *TERMINALIA TRIFLORA* (?).

**8920.** *CECROPIA PALMATA.*

**8926.** *SESBANIA SANCTIPAULEN-*  
SIS.

**8921.** *MAYTENUS BOARIA.*

**8927.** *QUILLAJA SAPONARIA.*